AND POLITICIANS

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Temporary.

SOME WARM CITY FIGHTS

New Candidate for President of the

ticians.

There is a slight lull in politics now

Hon. John E. Epps, who will oppose Sheriff Hughes and other aspirants for offices in this city, will open their campaigns early in the year. Mr. Epps said yesterday that while he had no desire to begin his converse at an unusually early.

yesterday that while he had no desire to begin his canvass at an unusually early date, yet he expected to do a little "mis-sionary work" as early as January. Mayor Taylor and Mr. McCarthy will have a spirited race for the city's chief

executive office, and others may enter for that disunguished place. A pretty race will be that for City Sergeant, and

will be run over again by the old an-tagonists. Sergeant Smith and ex-Ser-geant Epps. 'Squire W. A. (Lonnie) Graves is also in the race for Sergeaut,

and has already opened up his fight.

There are many announcements of new candidates for Common Council and Board of Aldermen, and in a short while

there will be the usual distribution of cards. The new year will be a great one, politically speaking.

Hon. Thomas H. Edwards, member of the

House of Delegates from King William and Hanover, was in the city yesterday to look after some land cases here. Mr.

Edwards brings the news that Mr. J. L. Bland, a prominent and wealthy merchant of West Point, is the applicant for the position of president of the State Board of Fisheries, to succeed Dr. Frank

Board of Fisheries, to succeed Dr. Frank Fletcher, of Accomac, the incumbent. Mr. Edwards is pressing the claims of his friend and constituent, and is very hope-ful that Governor Montague will see fit to appoint him. He says Mr. Bland has splendid endorsements from Strong busi-ness men all the way from Surry to Nor-folk, between the Rappahannock and the

Judging from the opinions expressed by

strong and well-posted public men, in-cluding many members of the Constitu-tional Convention, it seems an almost absolutely safe prediction that the

Constitution, when framed, will not be

submitted to any electorate for racac-tion or rejection, but that it will be pro-claimed outright by the convention itself. Many of the members of the Legisla-

that those who are so anxious to have the instrument submitted are desirous of its defeat, and they say that it would never do after the enormous cost inci-dent to the framing of the instrument to

run any risk of its defeat. Again, they point out that the work of the convention so far as it has progressed is wise and conservative, and is a wonderful improvement over that costly and cumbersome arrangement under which the State has operated since 1870. There is no cost that that sontiment is rankful cryst

It was rumored in political circles vester

Supper for Globe Men.

Employes of the Globe Clothing Com-

pany, with their wives, were entertained at an elaborate oyster supper at Murphy's

Hotel on Christmas Eve. The occasion was a jolly affair, being the usual annual

entertainment given by the Globe Com-

pany to the men in its employ. There was some speech-making, and the Christ-

mas spirit was there in force.

Among those present were: F. W. Farrow. L. C. Perkins, J. W. Wood, I. Rothschild, D. R. Russell, W. G. Crump, H. A. Taylor, H. W. White, H. A. Drake, E. W. Thompson, J. C. Pucket,

Drake, E. W. Thompson, J. C. Pucket, R. J. Smith, J. B. Jones, A. H. Petasrew, J. W. Wither, E. C. Wyant, W. B. Guerrant, W. E. Henderson, R. A. Swedley, H. E. White, B. W. Goodman, E. C. Cosby, E. V. Walsh, A. Delvaux, C. J. Marsh, J. H. Raker, C. R. Harman, F. H. Frost, William Thalheimer, E. C. Head, L. Dittelback, M. Arnold, Miss Weltheimer, Miss Meyers, Mrs. Lehman, Mrs. Dettelbach, Mrs. Arnold, Harry
Strauss Philadelphia: Mr. Liebman, Mr.

Strauss, Philadelphia; Mr. Liebman, At

lanta, and Mr. and Mrs. M. Frank.

by the convention.

conclusion on the subject

discussed by their friends.

wht that sentiment is rapidly crys talizing in favor of proclamation, and it looks like that course will be pursued

James.

Board of Fisheries-News and

Gossip About Poliv reu

POLITICAL TALK The After Xmas Remnant Sale--Friday

Two weeks' accumulation of odds and ends in a store like this means a great deal, even at this season when you might suppose the trade had been all of a holiday nature.

You'll be able to judge Friday morning when you come in just about what we've been doing these past

It means that you'll find many first-class articles at greatly reduced prices, all over the store, from the China store in the basement to the Upholstery department and the toys on the third floor.

There's many a thing that has become a little soiled in handling during the holidays. Perhaps it's hardly noticeable, and its real intrinsic value not one whit less-but its store value is lower

nevertheless, and custom says we must reduce the price. It's impossible to advertise all these things, or rather you'd get tired reading them all if we would, so just

look round and if there's anything particular in your mind ask us about it if you don't see it.

Ready-Made Wear.

but it is only a temporary one.

From the 1st day of January, when the convention will reconvene, until after the congressional elections next fail, the situation will be lively enough all along the live. Got lots of things to do in this department after January 1st, and we're giving you the advantage of low prices now that you usually wait several weeks longer for.

These waist items are especially good, although some of the sizes are missing.

Dress Goods Department.

this season in the history of our store and naturally have many short

lengths, remnants and odd pieces to dispose of; so beginning to-morrow

and continuing for one week we will hold a great Remnant Sale in this

department. Ladies wishing an extra waist or skirt length will find this

a rare opportunity to secure one at a considerable reduction. Besides the

and blue, original price 755 per yard. 49c fatas, Colored Satins, Liberties, Princess Crepe. Corded and Printed

remnants we mention, some odd pieces at considerably reduced prices.

The coats, especially the Oxford Raglan, talk for themselves. The furs, of course, are the best and cheapest in town. Couldn't help but be at these prices. Your eyes will tell you they're the cheapest, and if your're not a judge of furs our word is back of them as being the best.

Suits.

You'll recollect we told you early in December that instead of waiting until January for the usual reduction sale we'd give you the benefit of several weeks' wear of these goods. and, therefore, we marked a lot of our \$15.00 and \$17.45 suits down

We've had a marvelous sale of these garments, and there's but a

In order to clear up everything now we've marked down to \$10.00 also some other high grade suits The kind that usually sells at \$3.98 that have hitherto escaped the realso some other high grade suits

One Piece Golf Plaid, very heavy weight, brown on one side and red plaid on the other, original price \$3.09. Remnant Sale \$1.98

Three Pieces All-Wool Plaids, medium weight, in grey, garnet and blue, original price 75c per yard. Remnant Sale 39c

Four Pieces Checked Dress Goods, in brown

Linens.

dressing in this damask.

duction price, and that are equally as good as those we sold earlier. Remember, suits that were \$10.00

Woollen Waists.

Ali-Wool French Flannel Waist, embroidered front, open back, were \$2.25, \$1.50 now. 31..30
All-Wool Flannel Waist, tucked in front, braid trimmed, sizes somewhat broken, 79c worth \$1.19, now.
High Class Flannel Waist, in three styles, that sold for \$3.69, \$3.98 and \$4.48, \$2.48 for.

Silk Waists.

Taffeta Silk Waist, embroidered \$2.50 front. open back, the \$3.98 kind, for Strictly All-Silk Taffeta Waist, tucked to bust line in front, tucked back, new sleeve.

Silk and Velvet Department.

Friday morning we will place on

de Soie, Japanese Silks, Corded

Wash Silks, Plaid and Striped Taf-

Princess Crepe, Corded and Printed

Coats.

An Oxford Raglan bargain, three quarter voked, loose back, made of fine boucle cloth. This is the garment that sold so \$10.00 largely all season at \$13.50, now

50 Fur Collarettes, made of electric seal,

We have had the largest Black and Colored Dress Goods business

some 9-4 sheeting, both bleached and unbleached, that we put on sale Friday. The unbleached at 16c all the items under this head, as you'll certainly be the gainer if you sale hundreds of Remnants of Black need something in this line. There's and Colored Silks at greatly reduced a lot of skirting flannel also that's prices. Remnants of Taffetas, Peau not all wool (but all the better wearing quality for the purpose because it's not), 32 inches wide, in old rose,

Extra good heavy, close woven Bed Ticking, 32 inches wide, blue and white 15c stripe, per yard

Corsets.

Friday we'll place on sale an extra quality of German Linen Table Damask, 62 inches wide, soft silver bleached. There's absolutely no We have it in four very a'-tractive designs, per yard. ... 59C

C. B. 212 and 417, to fit stout, medium and slight figures

R. & G. 121 and 297, made in coutil with sateen stripping, steel filled. This is an 75c

W. B. 701. Erect form, made in \$1.00

Daniel Warrester full govern The accumulation of remnants from the holiday trade in all kinds of table linen will also be offered on

bleached absorbent cotton towel, that is not only very attractive in appearance but made for hard IOC use, each......

Curtains and Draperies

Like everything else in the store that had Xmas in it-chances for nice things now at low prices. .

made of heavy figures rep, regular price \$4.00 a pair, to close out, per \$2.50

Remnants of Silkoline Denins and 5c

Cretons, sold up to 15c a yard, per yard 5c

MAY COME HERE.

& Movement Which is Likely to Develop Next

Month.

The stockholders of the Wells-White-

head Tobacco Company, of Wilson, N. C.,

will hold their usual meeting in the lat-

ter part of January.

By many persons in Richmond, this

preeting is awaited with more than ordi-nary interest, as it is thought it will develop a movement on the part of some

of the stockholders to transfer the Wells-Whitehead factory to Richmond, or at least a branch of it. It is felt that here

would be an exceptionally advantageous

location and that the rapidly-growing business of the company could be con-

fucted the better from this point or with

tome branch factory here.
What effect such a proposition would have on the other stockholders isn't easy

to imagine. Whether the movement will tver gain a footing at all is equally unsertain, but that there is such a move-

nent appears to be the case. Rumors

of the proposed change have been affect by some time.

Visitors to Richmond.

none hotels have just now little | ness.

Towels. We've an extra large, pure white

Waist Cloths.

We've something new in Waist Clothe that we think is especially nice. It's ail cotton, has a crepe finish, reversible and looks exactly like wool. Thirty-two inches wide. In six attractive designs, per 16c

Odd Pair of Fine Irish Point Lace Curtains, 1 and 2 pair of a kind, sold up to \$7.50 \$10,00 a pair, per pair Odd Pairs of Portieres, only I pair of a kind,

Three Pieces Hair-Line Stripes, in grey, green and brown, made to sell for 50c 29c Velvets; als and Colors. Velvets; also Plain Velvets in Black

It's just as important in our estimation that a low priced corset should give satisfaction, as far as it's possible for it to do as it is in the higher grades. Think you'll find these we advertise will do just this

very thing.

Royal Worcester, full gored, straight front, hose support at-\$1.00

Knit Underwear.

No need for anybody wearing

Children's Ribbed Fleece Lined 10c

Toys and Games.

sweep on the third floor, but he lot. Lot of other things will sugcouldn't carry away everything.

There's quite a number of toys and games of all kinds left and we must close them out at once.

That means the prices will be cut down considerably, in some cases one-half or more.

Come in Friday and just look Silkoline Covered Head Rest, ruffled 10c round and pick out what you want. 27x60 inches, all colors, each. . .

> City Springs resort. He is accompanied his wife, Miss Lucille Paxton, his daughter, and Master W. Mc. Paxton, his young son. They will remain in the city

Mr. J. H. Callahan, who will take

charge of the restaurant in the new Main-Street Railroad Station, is also in the city, accompanied by his brother-in-law, Mr. F. N. Schermerhorn. Mr. Scher-

merhorn will take charge of the restau-

Mr. C. S. Taylor, of Roxbury, accompa-

nied by his wife, is at the Lexington. Mr. Taylor is one of the leading citizens of Koxbury. He and his wife will remain

Mr. D. U. McLean, of Lynchburg, a traveling man, is at the Lexington, and other Virginians there are: Mr. J. A. Turner, of Covington; Mr. M. B. Culbreath, Vir-

ginla, and Mr. William J. Smith, of Roa-

Mr. John S. Ham, president of the Cov-

for several days.

here for several days.

A Tan Kersey Full Lined Coat, L'Aiglon collar, new sleeve; the kind we sold \$5.00 at \$6.48. now

Fur Collarettes.

lined all through, sterm collar effect, \$1.39 the kind that usually sell at \$2, for \$1.39

120 Fur Collarettes, in light and dark colorings, some with tabs and tails, some are electric, others of bear. These are the \$2.98 kind we have always sold at 55, for \$2.98

Electric Seal, Stone Marten or Brown Neck Pieces, with six full tails and \$3.98

Remnants White Goods, Sheetings, Percales.

There's a specially good thing in per yard, and the bleached at 18c. We'd like you to notice particularly pink and red. It goes in 12/2c
this sale at, per yard 12/2c
Also an extra good quality of Canton Flannel, bleached and unbleached, per 81/3c
yard

Remnants also in percales, apron ginghams, outing cloths, etc.

Chinaware and Bric-a-brac

The largest China store in Richmond did the heaviest holiday business in its history.

That means there were many 'left overs'' in this stock in the way of odd sets or pieces.

We call your special attention to a lot of 1,300 Saucers left from Cups. These Saucers and Cups sold all the way from 25c to \$1.00 for the set. We are now offering the

saucers at 3c, 5c, and 10c each. They are all of French, German, English and Austrian China and thin underwear on account of the while it seems a ridiculously low cost when you can get garments price to ask for them, we're letting them go at these small figures to close out.

A 12 Piece Toilet Set, decorated in blue and green tints, with gold tracing, that's been selling for \$7.00, we'll close out \$5.59 Another 6 Piece Toilet Set in plain white, that was \$1.75, we're offering now \$1.19

Blankets.

You can get a nice home-made Santa Claus made a pretty clean bath robe for one thing out of this gest themselves perhaps.

25 pairs of sample Blankets, fancy stripes and plaids, suitable for making bath 85C robes, a pair

Rugs.

Item looks small, but there's a lot in it for you.

MILLER & RHOADS. zens of the State will remain in seclusion | Other Virginians at this hotel are Mr E. E. Downham, of Alexandria, and Miss

until after New Year, and the traveling man is off duty for the time being. Virginia Willis, of Virginia. At the Lexington yesterday was Mr. MR. THORNTON KILLED.

Former Resident of Richmond Loses His Lite in : t. Louis.

Mr. Hay T. Thornton, superintendent of Station A postoffice, received a telegram from his brother, Mr. Baylor B. Thornton, last night, bringing the sad news of the death by accident in St. Louis, Mo., yesterday morning of another broth-

er, Mr. Arthur Thornton.
The facts in connection with the shocking affair are meagre, but Mr. Thornton was in some way caught in an elevator and lost his life. He was with a large pneumatic machine manufacturing com-pany and was familiarizing himself with the workings of the machinery, preparatory to taking the road on January 1st. Mr. Thornton was until about five years ago a resident of this city, and his many friends here will be pained to learn of the accident which resulted in his immeington (Va.) Machine Works, accompanied by Mr. E. M. Nettleton, is at Murseven years of age and leaves four broth-phy's Hotel. He is here on private business.

Mr. W. B. Bozel and Mr. J. E. Fittz, Thornton, of this city, and Baylor B.

Thornton, of St. Louis. He was held in of the bushing lively crows of a week. Mr. W. B. Boze; and Mr. J. E. Fittz. Thornton, of St. Louis. He was held igo. Apparently, everybody has gone Jr., of Petersburg, two prominent busing high esteem by his employers, and the for Christmas, the grominess state was at the prominent busing for Christmas, the grominess state was at the prominent busing for Christmas.

News of the Railroads.

General Freight Agent E. D. Hotchkiss announces that Thousan Lewis has been appointed general western freight agent of the Chesapeake and Offic, with headquarters at Cincinnati. The office of W. F. Hite, division freight agent is transferred from Huntington to Ashland, The following notice of a change has

just been issued by President George "Effective Jan. 1, 1902, the office of P.

M. Whitaker, freight traffic manager, will be removed from Cincinnati. Ohio, to Richmond, Va. In speaking of the local travel, District

Passenger Agent Smith, of the Seaboard Air Line, said this morning that their two additional trains between Richmond and Petersburg had shown a remarkable business since their inauguration, and

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of EVERY DESCRIPTION at the LOWEST PRICES. See us and get our price before placing your order; it will interest you.

We also make a specialty of custom made books with special { rulings, etc. Our facilities are the best, our work the equal of our facilities and we have the price to please you, too.

Everett Waddey Co., 1105 E. Main St.

Rallway Company, was a caller at the N. and W. offices yesterday.

District Passenger Agent Smith, of the Seaboard Air Line, returned yesterday morning from Raleigh, N. C., where he spent Christmas Day.

Walter V. Wilkinson, formerly of West Point, Va., has accepted a position as secretary to the traffic manager of the Scaboard Air Line, with headquarters in Portsmouth, and will assume charge of his new duties by the first of the year.

Gerald F. Higgins, connected with the auditing department of the Atlanta and West point Railway, returned to Atlanta last night after spending the holidays in

CHRISTMAS WEDDING BELLS. Marriages That Have Taken Place or Soon

Well Be Celebrated. There was a quiet but beautiful mar-

James.

The presidency of the board pays a salary of \$1,200 per year, and the place is much in demand.

Dr. Fletcher is a candidate for reappointment, and is being backed by Senator LeCato and Delegate Mathews, while Dr. J. W. Bowdoin, chairman of the Democratic Committee of Accomac, and a strong supporter of Mr. Montague, is also in tha field.

The only other place in general demand riage at the home of Hon. John E. Epps. No. 806 East Leigh Street, at 1 o'clock yesterday afternoon, the contracting par-ties being Miss Blanche Epps and Mr. Stephen Johnson, both of this city. The young bridal pair left on the af-ternoon Scaboard Air Line train for the

South, where they will spend their honey-Miss Epps is the beautiful and accomplished daughter of Hon. John E. Epps.

also in the field.

The only other place in general demand is that of the secretaryship, which is now filled by Captain Seth F. Miller, of Mathews. The upland places on the beard have no salary attachment.

Some of the contests promise to be very spirited, and it is impossible to forecast Governor Montague's actions in the matter. while Mr. Johnson is a prosperous young business man, being associated with his brother in the conduct of a collective agency here.

The affair was a very quiet one, owing to the recent bereavement in the family

> few intimate friends were present. Miss Maude B. Brockwell and Mr. Otto S. Markham were married Christmas Day at 2 o'clock at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Brockwell, No. 308 Louisania Street.

of the bride, and only the family and a

The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. T. Routten, of Newport News, former paster of Denny-Street Methodist Episcomany of the members of the Legisla-ture talked this way before they left here last week, and the sentiment in favor of this course has undoubtedly gained great strength recently among the convention members.

Those who favor proclamation declare that those who are so anytous to have pal Church. After the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Markham left on an extended bridal tour; upon their return they will bridal tout, or reside in Fulton.

Miss Lizzie Leathers, of Orange, and Mr. William Edward McKenny were married Monday near Orange Courthouse. Mr. and Mrs. McKenny came to Richmond Christmas night and are residing at No. 1108 Wallace Street. Mrs. McKenny is a charming young

lady." She is a daughter of Mr. Frank Leathers, of Orange. Mr. McKenny is connected with the Old Dominion Iron-

Gregory were married Monday at the residence of the bride's parents, No. 1103 North Twenty-fifth Street.

Miss Iva Powers was maid of honor, and Messrs. R. W. Powers and John Lacy

It was rumored in political circles yester-day that Hon. Samuel L. Kelley had finally determined to enter the race for a seat in the House of Representatives against Congressman John Lamb, from this district. Mr. Kelley, however, when seen, said he had not reached any definite The ceremony was witnessed by many friends, and immediately after the ceremony a reception was tendered the young Talk on the subject is becoming rife among the politicians, and while there have been no announcements Messrs.

CHARTERS FILED. Great Number Lodged With the Secretary of

the Commonwealth.

Kelley and Wallace are both expected to run. Captain George D. Wise and Mr. Wyndham R. Meredith are also being A number of charters were lodged for of the Commonwealth yesterday. Some of them are as follows:

"The Lorraine Coal Company," with

capital stock of \$5,000 to \$20,000. H. L. Lorraine is president. "Daily Press Company," of Newport

"Daily Press Company, of Rewpore News, has increased its stock to \$25,000. C. F. Thacker is president.
"Southern Realty and Finance Company," of Charlottesville, with \$5,000 to \$10,000 capital, for real estate business.
W. D. Carlisle, S. J. Carlisle, T. W. Law, C. S. Carlisle, T. W. Law, are incorpora-G. S. Fulton and H. J. Law are incorpora-

"Charles W. Priddy & Co., incorpo "Charles W. Priddy & Co., incorporated," of Norfolk, with capital \$15,000 to \$50,000. To manufacture bagging to cover cotton, dealing in cotton, &c. The incorporators are Charles W. Priddy, R. A. Old, J. T. Maddrey, R. W. Peatross and S. M. Lloyd.

"The Chatham Mining Company," of Norfolk, fixes its capital stock at \$1,000 to \$12,000. Cornelius de Witt is president.
"The Virginia Internal Improvement Company," of Petersburg, met on Decem-

Company," of Petersburg, met on Decem-1901, and increased its capital stock ber 5, 1901, and increased its capital stock from \$100,000 to \$300,000. The stockholders voting were Philip Rogers, C. R. Bishop, R. B. Davis, Charles H. Davis, W. T. Davis and A. Wright.

A Christmas Party. A beautiful Christmas party was given

by Miss Maria Ward Williams at her brother's reading room, No. 606 Bragg Street. She had a beautiful Caristmas tree loaded down with presents for the children.
All of the girls had a dress given to

them and the boys had sweaters given to them. They had plenty of cakes, candy, nuts and apples and also a lot of toys. There were not happier children in Richmond. They return their hearty thanks to Miss Williams.

The Ironmoulders. The Ironmoulders' Union has elected

the following officers: W. H. Sampson, president; John McCochran, vice president; E. K. Sampson, financial secretary: E. W. Wood, recording secretary: business since their irauguration, and would certainly be continued.

Mr. R. C. Brookes, of Savannah, commercial agent for the Central of Georgia

J. J. Quinn, treasurer: Trustces—D. Weisiger, C. Schaadt and George Kopp

These officers will be installed the first Saturday in January, when a banquet will be served.

ANOTHER PARDON

Arthur Fuller, of Pittsylvania, is Set Free

TO GIVE FAREWELL DINNER

The Staff W.II Tender His Excellency One To Night - Capitol and Library News and Gossip.

There was little of interest going on at the Capitol yesterday. Governor Tyler and Secretary Owen both left the executive office about noon, and did not return during the day.

Before leaving His Excellency granted a parcon to Arthur Fuller, a white man, of Pittsylvania county, who was serving a term of eight years for criminal as-sault. The man was liberated and went on his way rejoicing. The Governor has several times attempted to finally his pardon list, but each day he is moved by tears and touching appeals, and recon-siders his determination not to grant

any more pardons during his term.

The Governor spent much time at the Mansion yesterday afternoon signing commissions for school superintendents. They were all signed save those for Henry and Grayson counties, these having been held up in the Senate.

REMAINED AT HOME.

Governor-elect Montague was not at nis office yesterday. He remained at his nis omce yesterday. He remained at his home, No. Iill Grove Avenue, and put in some work on his inaugural address. The members of Governor Tyler's staff will give in honor of His Excellency and

will give in honor of His Excellency and the members of the Executive's family a farewell dinner at the Westmoreland Club this evening at \$:30 o'clock. Governor Tyler, Mrs. Tyler and the Misses Tyler will attend, as will the ma-jority of the colonels, accompanied by their mylyss

their wives.

Many of the out-of-town members of the staff have notified Colonel W. O. Skelton of their intentions to attend, and the occasion promises to be a brilliant success, as have been many of the events of the last few weeks of the Governor's

administration. CAPITOL NOTES. The State officers at the Library build-ing were toiling away on routine work yesing were toiling away on routine work yesterday, they and their clerks having celebrated Christmas at their homes. The first of the year causes no jar in the State offices as the fiscal year ends on sentember 30th and all reports are made as of that date. Work goes on over the first of January as if it were any other ordinary day of the year.

Second Auditor John G. Dew is busy making out checks for semi-annual in-

making out checks for semi-annual interest due on December 31st. The total amount will reach about \$450,000, an-much of it will go to helders of State bonds in this city. The checks will be mailed next Tuesday night, so as to reach the holders on January 1, 1902. Governor Tyler has written a letter

"to whom it may concern," highly com-mending the work of "Uncle Ned" Wil-liams, who for the past ten years has operated the Capitol élavator in a most satisfactory manner. "Uncle Ned" has similar letters from the late Governor McKinney and ex-Governor O'Ferrall,

similar letters from the late Governor McKinney and ex-Governor O'Ferrall, and he prizes all of them very highly.

Mr. J. N. Brenaman is still here, and is hammering away on his typewriter at the Capitol, finishing up some work in connection with the convention, Mr. Brenaman did not go home for the holidays.

days.

Captain Frank P. Brent received a letter yesterday stating that his father, who is ill at his home in Nelson county, was not so well. The old gentleman is in the neighborhood of eighty years of age.

Governor Tyler yesterday removed the political disabilities of Alexander Wigglesterm of Setterhamia county who served. worth, of Spotsylvania county, who served a term for petit larceny.

NEWS IN BARTON HEIGHTS.

Narrow Escape from Serious Injury-News Notes and Personais.

A mischievous and thoughtless small onnected with the Old Dominion Iron-Works.

Mr. Arthur L. Powers and Miss Pearl Brogory were married Monday at the resi. the occupants would be thrown out and seriously hurt.

The buggy is the property of Mr. Har-vey Goddin and was standing in front of Rady's drug store about 11 o'clock in the morning, when the thing occurred. In it were seated Mr. Goddin his wife and a little child. One of the boys playing around the neighborhood tossed a big pop-cracker in front of the horse or somewhere near it. The animal made a plunge forward, then wheeled around in various directions and succeeded in breaking off the fifth wheel of the bug-gy. It is a wonder the whole concern wasn't upset and the occupants precipitated headlong.

Mr. H. W. Davies, of Monteiro Avenue, has returned to his residence, after a successful business trip to Oxford, N. C. Mr. R. W. Williams, of Lamb Avenue. and Dve Street, lift Wednesday for Charlotte county, Va., to visit friends and relatives.

Colonel A. W. Archer and J. M. Macon, of Richmond, were the guests of Mr. L. O. Wendenburg Wednesday, of Edgemere, Roberts Street.

Master Calvin and Lindsay Satterfield, of North Avenue, left Wednesday for Campbell, Albemarle county, Va., to visit

WETAKE THIS OCCASION

to assert that a nice box of Lowney's Choice Candy is always in order as a present for you wife, sister or the other fellow's sister, and that we have that nice box of Lowney's Choice Candy, Call in seasonable time on Owens and Minor Drug Co., opposite the postoffice, or City Drug Store, Fifteenth and Main Streets, near which we could not prevent the building of the Main-Street S. A. L. and C. and O. Station. Excelsior for all kinds of packing at the City Drug Store, Fifteenth and Main Streets, new 'phone 44.

CASTORIA The Kind You Have Always Bough Bears the Signature of Chart Hitchin.

HOT SPRINGS IN YOUR HOME.

The new Euckeye Folding Bath Cabinet is the most complete Bath Cabinet made. Its simplicity and case of adjustment and use will commend it to you as the best Bath Cabinet on the market. Nothing better than a good sweat for most any trouble. Price 5 for Bath Cabinet, Alcohol Safety Stove and Recipes for all kinds of medicated baths at Owens & Minor Drug Co, and at the City

Beart that The Kind You Have Always Bought Signature Chart Hillitations

Importers and Dealers in

Oscar Cranz & Co.,

Fine Wines, Liquors and Cigars.

UL CHUR.

ESTABLISHED 1843.

beg leave to call attention to their large stock of the above mentioned goods, most of which are of their own importation.

CHRISTMAS HOLIDAY EXCURSION RATES

On account of the Christmas holidays, the Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomac Railroad Company will sell spe-cial excursion tickets to points between Richmond and Washington, inclusive, at reduced rates.

The rate from Richmond to Fredericks-burg and return will be \$2.55; Alexandria and return, \$4.45, and Washington and re-

inclusive; also December 20th, 21st and January 1st; good going only on date of sale and for continuous passage in each

IDAY RATES SEASON OF 1901 AND 1972-The Atlantic Coast Line will sell tickets

For full information apply to any agent of the company, or C. S. CAMPBELL.

No. SS East Main Street. LAUNCHING OF THE BATTLESHIP

Special Train-SI Round Trip. The lainening at the Artista and tasket battleship ever built in the United States will be made at Newport News at II A. M. Saturday, December 28, 1901.

The displacement of the "Missouri" in 12,500 tons, speed 18 Roots an hour. She will be christened by Miss Marion Cockrell, daughter of Senator Cockrell, of Missouri "Missouri".

rell, daughter 6. Senator Cockr41, of Missouri

The Chesapeake and Ohio Railway will run a special train for the occasion, leaving Main-Street Station, Richmond, at 8:30 A. M., December 28th, and arrive at Newport News, 10 A. M., Returning, leave Newport News, 4:30 F. M.

Special tickets for the special train will be sold at ONE DOLLAR for the round trip. The special train will not make lead stoops in either direction.

trip. The special train will local stops in either direction.

operated during remainder of the win-

relatives and spend the Christmas holfdays.

Mr. E. M. Jennings, of Richmond. Va.,
is visiting Mr. E. D. Redd. of North

to his home on Lamb Avenue and Dove from Grange Courthouse, Va. from a business trip for the McCormick Harvesting Machine Company.

Mrs. Will J. Hawks and her latte daughter, Margaret, of Ealtimore, Md., are spending the Christmas holidays with Mrs. C. M. Zirkle, of Lamb Avenue and

Roberts Street.
Miss Edith Tomlinson, of Barton Avenue, entertained her friends Wednesday night in honor of her sixteenth birthday.

Farmville, Va. Mr. J. M. Parish, of Luck Avenue, left

House Party.

Mr. E. K. Victor, the tobacconist of this city, is entertaining a Christmas house party at his home, in Granite. A most enjoyable time is being had. Among those who make up the party are the following the party are the following the light of the Control of the lowing: Dr. Ikeda, Mr. Sieko Hotta and Mr. Welden, of the Department of Agridam. Germany, and Mr. Kohischutter,

spending the Christmas-holidays.

Mr. Charles M. Dillon, of the Armo Branch, in Lynchburg, is in the ci

Dillow O. Cranz, Jr.

4 Governor Street,

GOING TO THE LAUNCHING OF THE BAT-

The President's Cabinet and many night naval officials will pass through Riehmond via Chesapeake and Ohio Railway early Saturday morning en route to Newport News to witness the launching of the great battleship "Missouri."

Governor Tyler and staff will also attend the launching, going on the Chesapeake and Ohio special train which will leave Main-Street Station at \$130 A. M. Saturday, December 28th, for which train special tlekets wil be sold to Newport News, at One Dollar for the round trip thus giving many others the pleasure of

thus giving many others the pleasure of attending the launching.

Richmmond, Fredericksburg & Potomac Railroad Company.

Tickets on sale December 21st to 25th

direction, final limit January 3d, 1902.

Apply to Richmond Transfer Company
No. 203 East Main Street; Murphy's Ho tel or ticket office, Byrd Street, Elba and Seaboard Air Line Stations.

Traffic Manager. CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR HOL-

between all points en its lines at one and one-third first-class limited fare for and one-third first-class limited fore for the round trip. Tickets will be sold to the general public on December 21st, 22d, 23d, 24th, 25th, 30th, and 31st, 130t, and January 1st, 1902. With final limit January 3d, 1902. To students of schools and colleges, December 16th to 22d, 1901, inclusive, with final limit Jan-uary 5th, 1902, upon presentation and turrender of certificates signed by superturrender of certificates signed by super-intendents, principals or presidents of the

"Misseuri," at Newport News, December 28th, The launching of the largest and fastest

TRI-WEEKLY SERVICE. Winter Schedule, York River Line On and after December 24th, 1901, daily service by the York River Line will be discontinued, and tri-weekly service will be operated during remainder of the win-ter months. Leaving Richmond Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays 4:30 P. M., ar-riving Baltimore 8:30 A. M. following morning. C. W. WESTBURY.

Arthur T. Faulkner has returned

left Wednesday for Lewiston, Spoisyvania county, Va., to visit his parents,
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Goodloe.
Mr. James Wilson and wife have returned to their home in Norfolk, Va.,
after a very pleasant visit to Mr. E. J.
Watkins, of Poe Sigget.
Mr. M. L. Phillips has returned to his
home on Virginia Avenue after a pleasant visit to friends and relatives in
Exercisit to friends and relatives in

Wednesday for Chesterfield county, Va., where he will spend the Christmas in

culture of Japan; Mr. Housman, of this city.

Spending Chris'mas.